

I am writing in favor of RM-10352, which segments the 160 meter Amateur Radio band by operating mode. I have operating on the 160 meter band for the past 21 years and have observed countless incidents where wider mode (typically SSB) transmissions interfere with narrow mode (typically CW) transmissions. Forcing a segmentation of modes, as guided by RM-10352, will benefit all 160 meter operators. To make the most use of 160 meters, narrow mode operation is required. Protecting narrow mode operation is therefore quite important to the full utility of the Band.

It has always puzzled me why the 160 meter band was not structured like the other HF bands in terms of mode segmentation. I think RM-10352 is a major step in the right direction, and long overdue.

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